



HELP FOR A BUDDY—A wounded Vietnamese paratrooper grips his teeth as a fellow paratrooper drags him through jungle toward safety in the rear during an attack on Viet Cong positions near Binh Gia Mon-

160 S. Viet, U. S. Planes Hit N. Viets

More Attacks Planned

DA NANG, South Viet Nam (AP) — More than 160 U.S. Air Force and Vietnamese warplanes battered military installations at two points in North Viet Nam Tuesday in a powerful sequel to the February reprisal raids.

American authorities said the strikes were a resounding success.

However, four or more planes were shot down.

The targets were the port of Quang Khe and a munitions depot at Xom Dang.

70-80 Per Cent Destruction

Officials in Saigon estimated that from 70 to 80 per cent of the installations were destroyed. They said there will be further

action against both as prime sources of Communist aggression against South Viet Nam.

Reflecting a stiffened attitude in Saigon and Washington, U.S. Ambassador Maxwell D. Taylor said the new raids were not in retaliation for specific Viet Cong attacks on American installations, but joint actions "for the purpose of replying to continuous aggressive acts across the 17th Parallel."

Returning pilots said the ground fire was light and inaccurate.

Officials refused to say exactly how many of the participating planes were lost, but the pilots of three — one Vietnamese and two Americans — were recovered unhurt.

Other airmen were missing and a search continued for them.

Heaviest Attack Yet

The attack was the heaviest to date, with the force of fighters, fighter-bombers and bombers slightly exceeding that of the strike Feb. 11 at Chan Hoa and Chap Le.

More than 100 U.S. Navy jets,

28 Vietnamese fighter-bombers and 28 U.S. Air Force jets took part in the Feb. 11 operation.

Pilots over the munitions depot at Xom Dang reported seeing large secondary explosions, indicating their bombs had found their marks.

At the North Vietnamese port of Quang Khe, some 60 to 70 buildings and four naval installations on the north side of the river were attacked.

Quang Khe is 40 miles north of the border between North and South Viet Nam. Xom Dang is 10 miles north of the border and 15 miles east of the Laotian border.

Promise Further Action

The American mission in Saigon and the South Vietnamese government promised further actions against both, describing them as "installations that are being used by Hanoi to support its aggression against the people and territories of South Viet Nam."

Most of the target buildings at Quang Khe were reported destroyed.

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Freeze Minimizes Flood Threat Along Cedar River

Sleet Hits Area; Driving Hazardous

Although present conditions were not expected to lead to serious flooding in Waterloo, the mayor's emergency advisory committee was prepared for any threat. Story on page 16.

Residents of Waterloo, already plagued by a sleet storm which made for hazardous driving, kept a wary eye Tuesday on possible flood developments.

The Waterloo station of the U. S. Weather Bureau reported at 12:45 p. m. Tuesday that the Cedar River, at Waterloo, which was at 8.3 feet (below the dam) was expected to crest at 14 to 15 feet by Thursday, which would be at or near the flood stage of 15 feet.

The water was crossing the road at Sherwood Park early Tuesday afternoon on Greenwood Avenue, according to a report at the Waterloo police station.

The Weather Bureau also speculated that unless there was considerable ice jamming, it appeared that the crest would pass without any great danger.

Other River Points

The Weather Bureau also gave the following report of stages at other points on the Cedar and Shell Rock.

A. Marble Rock the Shell Rock river believed to have crested during the night at above the nine foot flood stage and should continue to fall at Marble Rock. At Shell Rock, the Shell Rock river was expected to crest at 14½ feet about midnight, which would be 2½ feet over flood stage.

The Weather Bureau said the Cedar at Charles City was at 21.8 feet compared with a flood stage of nine feet and was near its crest. At Janesville the stage was 9.1 feet with a crest of 13½ feet expected early Thursday. The flood stage there is 11 feet.



FROZEN FISH—Ice chunks fill the Cedar River at Cedar Bend in Waterloo, sometimes, as in this photo, resembling giant fish poking their noses above the surface. The ice was broken up by the thawing period, but created no jam here when the freeze Monday night slowed the breaking-up process.

plows has been thrown into action against the accumulating sleet. He said some side streets were impassable.

Fagerlind said the equipment and crew are concentrating on the residential district because during the day there is danger of marooning cars by plowing the snow against them in the downtown area during the day.

Therefore, Fagerlind asks that all motorists refrain from parking downtown after midnight Tuesday so that the snow can be cleared from the streets without getting the cars snowbound.

The total precipitation in Waterloo at 12:30 p.m. was 1.49 inches.

Water Over Fletcher

Because of a rise in Black Hawk creek, water was running over Fletcher Ave., which was shut off from traffic by barricades installed by the street department early Tuesday. It was shut off beyond Reber and Black Hawk Road. There was also slight flooding by Black Hawk creek in the vicinity of Black Hawk Road.

The Waterloo Weather Bureau station said that an accumulation of from two to four inches of snow was expected by Wednesday.

To expedite this flowing process, the Iowa Public Service Co. had lowered the flash boards in the middle of its Fourth Street dam at Waterloo and the remainder were to be lowered Tuesday.

They can now be lowered more readily as cables have been attached to the boards, which eliminates the necessity of doing the task by hand from a cable car.

U.S. Official Coming

Dallas Sanders, superintendent of the Waterloo sewer department and a member of Mayor Jochumsen's flood committee, said that below the dam readings for the Cedar River were at 8.32 feet at 7 a.m. Tuesday; 8.65 feet at 9 a.m. and 8.96 feet at 10 a.m., all well below the flood stage of 15 feet, but from three to four feet above the normal of five feet.

Sanders said a representative of the National Geological Survey from Fort Dodge would arrive Tuesday.

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Cedar Falls Annexation Gains Court's Approval

Rules City Can Provide Services

Annexation of 4.3 square miles of land by the city of Cedar Falls was approved Tuesday in a ruling by District Court Judge Carroll E. Engelkes.

In granting the city's acquisition of land south and east of the former city limits, Judge Engelkes ruled against property owners representing 780 acres of land who contested the move in court.

The judge noted that 47 other defendants, who own approximately 2,000 acres in the area, defaulted by failure to contest the annexation.

Approves Service Claim

Judge Engelkes found Cedar Falls can provide municipal services to the entire area and

rejected a contention by objectors that annexation violated their right not to be deprived of property without due process of law.

He also ruled that voluntary annexation proceedings by the Waterloo City Council were null and void. That action purported to take the 780 acres in court contention into Waterloo last March 17.

The judge said he found "by the commencement of its annexation proceedings in the month of January, 1964, the plaintiff established exclusive jurisdiction of the area proposed for annexation . . ."

Says No Rights Denied

In explanation of his finding that the constitutional right of property owners was not denied, Judge Engelkes said:

"The court has found that many of the municipal services of the city of Cedar Falls will be immediately available to the area proposed for annexation.

"Only the extension of water and sewer into the area will require a period of time to accomplish, and will be accomplished only as the area's growth demands these services.

"Generally, all of the other municipal services will commence immediately upon annexation and the court has made these findings

"This in large measure, answers the defendants' contention that the statutory provisions permitting the annexation of a

territory by a municipality by merely showing it is capable of furnishing municipal services without more constitutes a violation of the 14th amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Good Faith Accepted

"It is true that the statute speaks only of 'capability,' but a reasonable construction of the statute requires the court to find this 'capability' coupled with good faith intentions on the part of the city to render the services in accordance with all applicable laws.

"A municipality is obligated by law to render many of its services to all residents and all areas within the municipality—

police protection, fire protection, etc.

"On the other hand, some municipal services, such as sewer, water, street improvements, etc., are left within the discretion of the city council.

"Only after the council has determined that the extension of such services into a particular area is reasonable and necessary is the improvement made.

Rules Against Condition

"To require that all this must be done as a condition precedent to annexation would place an impossible burden on any proposed annexation. For such

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House Unit OKs School Aid Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Education and Labor Committee Tuesday approved President Johnson's \$1.3 billion school aid bill, designed to help both public and parochial schools.

Overriding nearly solid Republican opposition, the committee Democrats sent the bill toward a House vote, probably late this month, by a vote of 23 to 8.

Two Republicans joined the 21 committee Democrats in voting for the bill.

Low-Income Families

Most of the money would be spent on schools serving children of low-income families, but 90 per cent of the nation's school districts would share in the \$1 billion authorized by the bill for that purpose.

Other sections of the bill would provide textbooks and library books for both public and private schools, create supplementary education centers for use by all children in a community, and strengthen educational research.

Demos Settle Squabble

Final approval Tuesday came after committee Democrats settled a squabble among themselves over the formula for distributing the \$1 billion to the schools. The administration proposed giving each school district half its average per-pupil cost for each child from a family with an annual income of under \$2,000. There are about five million such children between 5 and 17 years old.

To this, the committee added a provision that children from families on welfare, where the welfare payments boost income over \$2,000, would also be counted. It would add 237,000 children to the eligible number, and increase the cost of the program by \$63 million.

Five Sullivans' Father Is Dead

The father of the five Sullivan brothers who died in World War II naval action in the South Pacific in 1942, died Tuesday morning.

He was Thomas F. Sullivan, 82, of 2028 E. 4th St., who succumbed to a heart attack at St. Francis Hospital at 9:40 a. m.

His sons lost their lives when the cruiser USS Juneau was sunk.

M. R. Sullivan was born July 20, 1883, at Harpers Ferry, son of Owen and Mary Ann Sullivan. He came to Waterloo in 1910, became employed as brakeman for the Illinois Central railroad.

He married Alleta Abel here Feb. 4, 1914, at St. Joseph's Catholic church. At the time of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor all five of their sons were employed at the Rath Packing Co.

They were Joseph, Madison, Al, George and Frank. They enlisted together and received

Recount Long Process, Says Gross' Lawyer

Leroy Redfern, attorney for Rep. H. R. Gross, said any recount of last fall's congressional race might not come within a year. Story on page 3.

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U. S. Moon Plans Suffer Big Setback

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP)—A 10-story-tall Atlas-Centaur rocket exploded into a massive fireball on its launching pad Tuesday and dealt a severe blow to U.S. moon exploration plans.

No one was hurt in the blazing explosion, which sent flames and smoke several hundred feet above Cape Kennedy. Damage to launching facilities was extensive, probably exceeding a million dollars.

The rocket was to have hurled a metal moon of the Project Surveyor mooncraft toward an imaginary lunar target. The flight was to have been an important rehearsal for landing a Surveyor on the moon next fall to determine if the surface is strong enough to support astronaut expeditions.

The target was a spot in the sky 248,000 miles away which will be the approximate position of the moon next autumn when the Surveyor shot was to have been attempted.

3 Years Behind Schedule

The program to develop the Atlas-Centaur for the vital Sur-

LBJ Asks Big Urban Program

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson unveiled Tuesday far-ranging programs to meet the "new overwhelming pressures being visited upon cities already in distress."

He said urban population and area will double in less than 40 years, adding, "It is as if we mortgaged for housing for modern 40 years to rebuild the entire urban United States."

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five in Waterloo Tuesday afternoon to make a comparison of readings of river stages between here and up stream points.
At Cedar Falls, the river was over the road on Cottage Row. Hefty Beisner, city engineer, said the city is trying to open the four flood gates in the dam. They are still blocked by ice and opening them is a slow process, he said. One was opened Monday.
At Charles City, ice blocked the main channel of the Cedar.
Families Evacuated
Some 50 to 60 families were evacuated from the low-lying Oak park residential area in Charles City Monday.
Volunteer crews concentrated on sandbagging Charles City (trough spots until about 6 a. m. Tuesday when it appeared the river might be reaching its crest.)
Choking of the river with ice was causing concern among Charles City authorities. "We just hope the ice above us holds until the ice below us goes out," one official said Tuesday.
Shell Rock Crests
The Shell Rock River, which joins the Cedar above Janesville, crested at 5 1/2 feet above flood stage at Greene Monday night and forced officials to close Hwy. 14 there until Tuesday morning. The crest was about six inches below the level reached in 1961.
About a dozen Greene families had to be evacuated from homes in low-lying areas. Downtown business firms were pumping water from their basements Tuesday morning.
Ice jams were reported on the Shell Rock both above and below Greene.
Warned Off Ice
Complaints that reckless and venturesome passersby were walking out on the ice jams in the Cedar River at Cedar Bend led Carl Fagerlind, city street superintendent, to issue a warning Tuesday that every body should keep off the river.
"Some of the people apparently had gone out to inspect holes and the like caught in the ice," Fagerlind said. "This is extremely dangerous as the ice could start moving at any time. It could result in immediate drowning or cause somebody to be marooned on a cake of ice and perish before he could be rescued."
It Isn't Snow
That white stuff that accumulated on the windshields and piled up to a height of several inches in the street, was not snow but was water oozing out of the Waterloo office of the United States Weather Bureau. There was a total precipitation of 1.49 inches, but this was nearly all rain and sleet, the Weather Bureau said.
However, the accumulated sleet causes as much of the same difficulties to motorists and others as snow. The city street commissioner said that city snow plows were in action plowing the main thoroughfares, salting and sanding. A nother aspect of the accumulated sleet is that it splashes like water, Fagerlind said.
Glaze Warnings
Glaze warnings were issued by the Waterloo station of the U. S. weather bureau, which also warned that hazardous driving conditions will continue.
All highways in the vicinity of Waterloo were reported as hazardous and extremely slippery.
Sand bags may be purchased at 15 cents each either at the Street Department headquarters, 1601 Black Hawk Street; or at the Sewer Department headquarters, 1314 Black Hawk Street. Sand for filling the sandbags may be obtained free of charge from the street department.
The task of thawing out catch basins was still being carried on by the sewer and street departments.
More than five inches of new snow fell in central counties during the night. The Weather Bureau forecast a total accumulation of seven to 10 inches by afternoon.
The storm, which crippled western and northwestern Iowa Monday, was preceded by a band of freezing rain or sleet, and was accompanied by strong northerly winds.
Freezing temperatures eased the threat of floods along the Nishnabotna and Boyer rivers in the west, but trouble spots developed on the Raccoon and Iowa rivers in central and north central areas.
A 100-block area of Des Moines went without electricity for three hours Monday night. The governor's residence resorted to candles for light, as did hundreds of other homes. TV sets got an unaccustomed rest.
ANOTHER FAIR
TRIESTE—A trade fair will be held in Trieste.

LBJ Still Eyes Soviet Visit Swap

Kosygin: 'Very Pleasant'

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson indicates he still hopes to exchange visits this year with Soviet Premier Alexei N. Kosygin. And the Soviet leader, despite his blasts at U.S. policies in Viet Nam, says a Johnson visit to Moscow "would be very pleasant."
Kosygin raised the visit possibility anew Monday. He indicated to newsmen that Johnson already had been invited, and added: "We wish to have better relations."
Shortly afterward, the White House replied that nothing has changed since a Feb. 3 speech in which Johnson said: "I have reason to believe that the Soviet leadership would welcome my visit to their country—as I would be very glad to do. I am hopeful that before this year is out this exchange of visits between us may occur."
Johnson had suggested in his Jan. 4 State of the Union message that the Soviet leaders visit this country. Pravda, the Soviet Communist party paper, endorsed the idea three weeks later.
Viet Crisis
Since then, however, American support of the South Vietnamese fight against Communist guerrillas has been increased. While Kosygin was visiting Communist North Viet Nam last month, U.S. planes bombed some North Vietnamese installations.
Some of Kosygin's sharpest comments on the war in Viet Nam came after a State Department white paper charged Saturday that Communist efforts in the south are being "inspired, directed, supplied and controlled" by North Viet Nam.
Kosygin said the white paper should be called a "black book" because "the dirty acts of the Americans cannot be recorded in a white book."
He added: "When one murders women and children and when women and children are driven from their homes, then these acts cannot be recorded in a white book—at least no one in the world would believe this."
And in a speech Monday before talking about the Johnson visit, Kosygin said the United States would make a big error if it thought that "aggression" against North Viet Nam would go unpunished.
It appeared clear that a Johnson visit would be the first in any exchange since Kosygin has vetoed a Paris meeting with French President Charles de Gaulle because, "it is Gen. de Gaulle's turn to come to Moscow."

Annex

municipal services, it is sufficient for the municipality to show that it is fiscally 'capable' of providing these services.
"The court therefore holds that Section 326.26 of the 1962 Code of Iowa is constitutional and does not violate the due process clause of the federal constitution."
Opinion on Taxes
Judge Engelkes, who heard testimony and arguments on the annexation at a trial late in January and again in mid-February, said he found annexation was not sought "merely for the purpose of increasing the revenue from taxation."
Property owners, representing 25 parcels of land, who fought the annexation, contended the acquisition partly was a move to acquire the John Deere Experimental Center for addition to the city's tax base.
John Deere was among property owners representing 27 parcels of land who chose not to fight the annexation in court.
Judge Engelkes said, "The court further finds that the proposed annexation will more fully provide for the orderly growth of the area, and the inclusion of the area extending to the Black Hawk creek has substantial engineering benefits to the entire area proposed for annexation and to the city of Cedar Falls in furnishing services."
Costs on Owners
Costs of the court action were taxed to the property owners who opposed the annexation, the judge ordered.
Frederick White, co-counsel with Upton Keford for the objectors, said Tuesday noon they hadn't yet read the ruling, so had no comment on filing an appeal.

Chicago Cops Tightly Guard Muslim Chief

CHICAGO (AP)—A police detail kept an around-the-clock vigil in front of Elijah Muhammad's 19-room mansion on Chicago's South Side Tuesday.
A task force spokesman said police guards would remain on duty in front of Muhammad's home and at the Black Muslims' temple—mosque No. 2—definitely. The home of Muhammad, leader of the Negro supremacy sect, and the temple are about six blocks apart.
The potentate of the Black Muslims stayed inside his ultra-fashionable home Monday amid reports that he would leave soon for his winter resort home in Phoenix, Ariz.
Muhammad's bodyguards—well-built young men called the Fruit of Islam—also kept guard on the two-block area around Muhammad's home.
The guard was posted a week ago after Malcolm X, a former Black Muslim, was shot and killed in Harlem Feb. 21.
Followers of Malcolm pledged to kill Muhammad after blaming the Black Muslims for his death.

U.S. Earns \$4 Million on Prison Labor

WASHINGTON (AP)—Federal prison labor produced a \$44 million dividend for the U. S. Treasury last year.
Atty. Gen. Nicholas Katzenbach reported Monday that the dividend brings to \$59 million the total turned over to the Treasury since 1946.
The directing corporation, Federal Prison Industries, Inc., operates 55 shops and factories in 23 institutions. Katzenbach said all sales are to other federal agencies, and the work is diversified to make competition with private enterprise negligible.

Viet Moon

stroyed, along with several Communist gunboats. Smoke obscured the area after the raid.
Participating in the two attacks were South Vietnamese air force propeller-driven Skyraider fighter-bombers and U.S. Air Force F100, F105, and B57 jets.
At Xom Dang, more than 120 tons of bombs were dropped and at Quang Khe between 50 and 70 tons. The bombs ranged in size from 250 pounds to 750 pounds.
The raids were reported planned earlier, but were postponed because of bad flying weather. The munitions dump buildings were surrounded by sandbags, but were believed mostly destroyed.
Element of Surprise
Returning pilots said ground fire had been light and inaccurate, and they believed they had the element of surprise.
Various bases other than Da Nang were used in mounting the attack, but U.S. officials declined to say where they were.

Moscow Calls Air Raids Barbaric

LONDON (AP)—Moscow radio branded the U.S.-South Vietnamese air raids on Communist North Viet Nam Tuesday as barbaric. It claimed that only 39 planes took part and that seven of them were shot down.
U.S. officials in South Viet Nam said more than 160 planes attacked military installations in North Viet Nam. Sources there said four or more planes were lost.
Rent Supplement
Proposed a rent supplement program for direct payment of a portion of the rent of families displaced by various forms of federal action, and recommended a change in public housing to permit use of federal funds to buy and rehabilitate existing buildings and permit local authorities to lease existing units for low-rent families.
Johnson described his proposal for what he called rent supplement as the "most crucial new instrument in our effort to improve the American city."
Thursday Rites for Hughes' Dad
IDA GROVE (AP)—Services will be at 2 p. m. Thursday at the First Methodist Church for Lewis C. Hughes, 74, father of Gov. Harold Hughes. Burial will be in the family plot here.
The elder Hughes, a Kentuckian who moved to Iowa 50 years ago, died Monday at University Hospitals in Iowa City.
He had been undergoing treatment for a heart ailment since last Wednesday.
The governor was notified at Yucatan, Mexico, of his father's death, and returned to Des Moines by plane Monday night. He had been in Mexico on a combination business and hunting trip, arriving there Sunday.
The governor's father had farmed and, in later years, operated a florist business in Ida Grove.

LBJ Gains Support in Congress

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson's White House briefings of Congress members appear to be paying off in increased vocal support for his course in South Viet Nam.
In a three-hour Senate debate which drew 13 senators into the fray Monday, Johnson got backing of one kind or another from six Democrats and four Republicans.
Criticized by Two
His policies were criticized by two, Sens. Wayne Morse, D-Ore., and Ernest Gruening, D-Alaska. Sen. Stuart Symington, D-Mo., maintained a neutral position.
Morse and Gruening were reading fresh criticisms Tuesday of what they have called aggressive American policies in the conflict with the Communist Viet Cong.
President Woodrow Wilson and telephone inventor Alexander Graham Bell took part in the first transcontinental telephone call on Jan. 25, 1915.

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Sullivan

family received many citations and tributes from a grateful nation. Their former home at 98 Adams St. is near a memorial park site.
A motion picture was based on the boys' careers. A battle-ship was named for them.
When Mr. Sullivan retired at the age of 65 in 1948, as conductor, he ended 38 years of railroading.
Daughter Survives
He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church, its Holy Name Society, the Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors, American War Dads and Veterans of Foreign Wars.
Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Murray Davidson of 2243 E. 4th St., and three grandchildren, James Sullivan of Cedar Rapids, and Thomas and Murray Davidson Jr. Mrs. Davidson, the former Genevieve Sullivan, served in the Navy as a WAVE.
There are also one sister, Mrs. John Connelly, Dubuque, and four brothers, George, Mike, Joseph and Patrick Sullivan, all of Harpers Ferry.
He was preceded in death by the five sons, two brothers, one sister and parents.
Funeral services are pending at the O'Keefe & Towne Funeral home.

Reports Economy Is Gaining

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of Commerce John T. Connor said Tuesday the nation's economy is moving ahead briskly with massive production of steel and automobiles overshadowing some weakness in housing construction.
He said businessmen have greatly increased their allocations for plant and equipment expenditures this year, according to a recently completed private survey.
The survey, he said, shows that businessmen plan to raise their spending by 12 to 14 per cent over last year compared to the 8 per cent increase reported in a government survey several months ago.
The upward adjustment of several percentage points would mean an additional expenditure of \$2 billion to \$3 billion.
Connor added the Treasury's recent relaxing of depreciation rules, expected to save corporations \$700 million in taxes, should have a further stimulating effect on the expansion plans of businessmen.
Ask Students To Attend Negro's Rites
SELMA, Ala. (AP)—Civil rights leaders, pushing for Negro voting power in Alabama's black belt, want a massive cortege of students for the funeral of a youthful Negro laborer, a victim of racial violence near here more than a week ago.
Tribute will be paid to the slain Negro in both Selma and nearby Marion, where he was shot, in services Wednesday. A mass march behind the hearse is planned from a Marion church to the cemetery.
Hundreds of Negroes ignored heavy rain Monday to take part in the spreading voter registration drive started more than six weeks ago by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.—who was told in a rural county that voting procedures were none of his business.
King left Monday night for a Washington speech; he will return Wednesday.

Tight Secrecy For Moscow Red Talks

MOSCOW (AP)—Consultations among Communist parties of 19 countries entered a second day Tuesday under a blanket of secrecy as deep as the snow around the meeting place in Moscow's Lenin Hills.
The Communist party newspaper Pravda reported briefly on its front page that a delegate from the British party arrived Monday. He joined 46 other foreigners and a four-man Soviet delegation.
Pravda did not mention that the meeting had begun Monday. The session reportedly lasted two hours at a government guest house.
Neither did the Soviet press mention continuing Chinese attacks on Kremlin policy.

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The Weather
WATERLOO — Snow Tuesday night and Wednesday with total accumulation of two to four inches. Colder Tuesday night. Low about 10. High Wednesday near 22.
IOWA—Cloudy and continued cold Tuesday night and Wednesday with snow most of state except freezing rain and sleet extreme east. Additional accumulation 44 inches of snow central Tuesday evening.
Sunrise Wednesday 6:43, sunset 6:07.

Waterloo Temperatures
Maximum Monday (official) 47
Minimum Monday (official) 22
Tuesday, 7 a. m. (official) 39
Tuesday, 9 a. m. (official) 35
Tuesday, 11 a. m. (official) 32
Tuesday, 1 p. m. (official) 29
Tuesday, 3 p. m. (official) 25
Maximum year ago 62
Minimum year ago 25
Record high (official) 80
Record low (official) -19
Wind (official) NW 20

Cedar River Stage
Tuesday noon 40.12
Normal 38.96
(Flow Public Service Co. gauge)

Fire Alarms
Monday, 4:20 p. m. Inhalator to 207 W. 3rd St., George Grand, 38, 405 H. Elin St., Cedar Falls, fainted, oxygen given five minutes, patient responded.
Monday, 4:29 p. m. Inhalator to John Green Waterloo Tractor Works, Charles Chapman, 28, of 815 Evergreen Ave., III, covers 1000 lbs. nitro, patient responded.
Monday, 7:56 p. m. In Summer and Lin St., car owned by the Rev. Clarence L. Townsend, 308 Ankeny St., caught on curb, considerable loss.
Births Reported
St. Francis
YOUNGBLUD, Mr. and Mrs. James J., 1259 S. W. St., 3 girls.
NICHOLS, Mr. and Mrs. Michael E., of La Porte City, 4 girls.
BUREAU, Mr. and Mrs. Robert, of 813 W. 2nd St., 1 girl.
MORSE, Mr. and Mrs. Goll, of Fairbank, 1 girl.

Building Permits
AVIS, Ray, Construction Co., to remodel two service bays to commercial merchandise area, for Superior 400 OI Co., 921 La Porte Rd., \$4,000.

Divorce Petitions Filed
NYLAN, Arthur L., vs. Jessie Petro, married April 16, 1958, in Wescos, Minn. He asks decree and custody. Charge: Cruelty.
AVERILL, Patricia Ann, vs. Bob E. Erickson, married May 16, 1955, here. She asks decree, custody of three minor children, household goods, child support and injunction restraining defendant from molesting her. Charge: Cruelty.
WILLIAMS, Rosemary, vs. Beverly, married in Preston, Minn., in year 1954. He asks decree. Charge: Cruelty.

Separate Maintenance
NELSON, Helen E., vs. Lewis P., married Oct. 18, 1941, in Raymond. She asks decree of separate maintenance, custody of two minor children, \$50 weekly child support, 1963 model car, real estate of 1120 Oregon St., and injunction restraining defendant from premises of 1120 Oregon. Charge: Cruelty.

Probe Ruins Of Blast at Montreal

MONTREAL (AP)—Rescue workers and investigators dug today through the steaming, smoking ruins of what had been a three-story brick apartment building, leveled by an explosion that claimed at least 26 lives.
Chunks of rubble were lifted away by rescuers looking for persons still missing.
As many as 50 persons were injured by the blast in suburban LaSalle at breakfast-time Monday.
Detective Raymond Bourbonnais said 11 adults and 15 children were known dead.
Only 17 had been identified by midnight. The exact number of missing was not certain.
Authorities suspected the building's natural gas heating system caused the explosion.
A woman told police she had gone to the building Sunday night to visit her sister and brother-in-law and told them, "This place smells as though it's full of gas."
Mayor Lionel Boyer of LaSalle said he had asked the Quebec Natural Gas Corp. to make a complete check of the heating system in all 24 buildings of the housing development. The gas supply to 96 other apartments in four buildings damaged by the explosion was cut off after the blast.
Boyer said the buildings' heating units should have been inspected once a month but that the gas firm apparently had been doing so only once a year.
Quebec Natural Gas officials said there was no proof natural gas caused the blast, but that an investigation was in progress.

Sen. Miller Calls for Thant Resignation

WASHINGTON (AP)—The resignation of U Thant as secretary-general of the United Nations would serve world peace, Sen. Jack Miller, R-Iowa, said Monday.
"I find Mr. U Thant's behavior one-sided, prejudiced, ungrateful, superficial and unrealistic," Miller said in a Senate speech criticizing U Thant's suggestion last week that there would have been no Communist intervention if the United States had stayed out of South Viet Nam.
Drop Hunt for Jet Collision Survivors
WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE, Mass. (AP)—The Air Force and Coast Guard have abandoned their four-day search for survivors in the collision of two jets over the North Atlantic.
The Air Force said the seven men still missing are presumed dead.
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